2137

FE TELEPHONE (312) 258-5500

SCHIFF HARDIN LLP

PATENT DEPARTMENT
6600 SEARS TOWER

233 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60606

Dieter PAUSCHINGER |

GROUP ART UNIT: 2137

SERIAL NO.:

10/090,997

EXAMINER: Kevin R. Schubert

FILED:

March 5, 2002

CONFIRMATION NO.:6789

TITLE:

"METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REGISTERING A USAGE VALUE OF A COMMODITY

AMENDMENT A

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONA FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	+14	MINUS	** 27	X 18	() X 25.00 () X 50.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	MINUS	2	х	() X 100.00 () X 200.00	
	mended to contain lependent claims paid for.			(') YES	()\$180.00 ()\$360.00 ONE TIME	
			TOTAL ADDITIONAL FOR THIS AMENDM	L FEE		

** If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 5.

If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20 write "20" in this space.

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated _____ for ___ months so that the period for response is extended to ____. A check in the amount of \$____ is attached to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit account No. 501519. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$____ is attached.

A check for \$___ accompanying IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(c) is attached.

A check for \$___ and Petition for Consideration of IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(d) is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 501519. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

When phoning re this application, please call (312) 258-5500.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on September 19, 2005.

Steven H. Noll
NAME OF APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY /
Ti a di lisali
SIGNATURE
September 19, 2005
DATE

CHI\ 4340801.1



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE AMENDMENT "A"

APPLICANT:

Dieter Pauschinger

GROUP ART UNIT: 2137

SERIAL NO.:

10/090,997

EXAMINER: Kevin R. Schubert

FILED:

March 5, 2002

CONFIRMATION NO.: 6789

TITLE:

"METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REGISTERING A USAGE

VALUE OF A COMMODITY"

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2005, Applicant herewith amends the application as follows.